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TOPIC Shipment of Soviet Troops and Material to and from the Wustrow AAA Range

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REMARKS

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1. On 23 June 1951, about 200 troops from the Wustrow AAA range were loaded at Neubukow on a train with 90 axles which included 10 boxcars. The troops wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia and were equipped with 8 AA guns, 3 vehicles and 7 vehicles

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2. Another 200 soldiers from the AAA range were loaded at Kroepelin on a train of 90 axles, including 10 boxcars, on the same day. They wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia. Their equipment included 3 trucks

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3. On 24 June, about 300 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia were loaded at Kroepelin on a 98-axle train which included 15 boxcars and left toward Wismar. They were equipped with 12 AA guns, 8 vehicles and 3

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4. On 24 June, an ammunition train arrived at Bad Doberan. The ammunition was transloaded by soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia on 3 trucks and 2 trucks

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* Comment. the troops on the trains in paragraph 1 and 2 were components of the 4th Gds AAA Div.

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** Comment. the Wismar-bound train carried troops of the 31st AAA Div. The ammunition on the train which arrived on 24 June was transferred to vehicles of the 13th AAA Div.

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